

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re the Application of:

Masuo OHNISHI et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2835

For: ELECTRONIC APPARATUS AND DISK UNIT MOUNTING MECHANISM

Examiner: J. REED



NOTICE OF APPEAL

Director of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: September 29, 2000

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated April 4, 2000 of the Primary Examiner.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. A petition for a three (3) month extension of time to respond to the Final Rejection is filed herewith.
2. A timely response to the Final Rejection has been filed, as provided in 37 C.F.R. 1.113.
3. Fee -\$300.00 or Small Entity -\$150.00

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In the event this Notice of Appeal is not considered to be timely filed, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an appropriate extension of time. The fee for this extension may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 01-2340, along with any other additional fees which may be required with respect to this Notice.

Respectfully submitted,
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